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TELEPHONES-75 AND 69

BRYAN DEMANDS PROOF.

of the kind of man William J. Bryan really is had the least idea he would

do other than stand on the firing line

when one of his chosen chiefs was re

celving the fire from the poop deck of present-day Republican methods. Gov-

erner Haskell was the one central fig

ure in this campaign under Mr. Bryan's

orders who can not be suppressed by

lauendo; nor can one bleff him into

silence because, by prearrangement

Repulican whom President Roosevell

had determined to ruin, was first as

sailed by Hearst, the pupper of the very predatory wealth he declares he

Governor Haskell flatly denied the

charge he had ever been connected

with Standard Oil, and asked Mr. Hearst to prove his case. Mr. Hearst

refuses to speak with Governor Has

kell-whether he thinks he is too good

for Haskell or too bad, he sayeth not

on that topic. But he had no oppor

tunity to decline without admission of

being a falsifier. Governor Haskell

has rights all antagonists respect. He

wishes a trial by the class of men who

make newspapers, and Mr. Hearst re-

fuses that. Mr. Hearst is running

away from his own assertions, while

the militant Haskell asks that the hid

den enemy come out, be counted, or

Mr. Bryan has changed the program not a little; he has notified the mono-

maniae at Washington as he should

have been addressed his falin, believ

will stop long enough for all charges

to be proven. Following hard upon the

truth, he would resign if proven, or

excuse shown for the Hearst state

But no one ever expected the Hitch

cock grafting outfit would attemp

NEGRO AFFAIRS.

magazines, and their so-called descrip

tions of conditions are proof sufficient

To classify the negro cotton raises

negro whose living is attained around

Brooklyn, Illinois, with 900 blacks

ing to do something toward the eleva-

The attack of the mob at Springfield,

retract former charges.

Neither does it matter which he thinks

recks to subdue

one having the least conception

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1908.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

NATIONAL. WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN, of Nebraska, JOHN WORTH KERN. of Indiana.

STATE TICKET. For Corperation Commissioner-A. P. WATSON, of Poliawatomie County.
or Chief Justice Supreme Court.—
ROBERT L. WILLIAMS, of Bryan County For Associate Chief Justice .-- SAMUEL W. HAYES. of Grady County.

CONGRESSIONAL TICKET. First District.— HENRY S. JOHNSTON, of Noble County. Second District. ELMER FULTON, of Oklahoma County. JAMES DAVENPORT. of Craig County. CHARLES CARTER, of Carter County. Fifth District. SCOTT FERRIS. of Comanche County.

LEGISLATIVE. For State Senate.of Guthri or Representatives—Logan County— WALT. MATHEWS, ing that right should prevail.

To add to this, Governor Haskell TEAGUE RAY.

ENCOURAGE WHITE

PLAGUE FIGHTERS. mests. The national campaign quite often comes of such absorbing interest other great occasi as are passed with decency or truth. Hitchcock came into little note. The great world's con- fame by purchasing negro delegates grees against tuberculosis now at attending the national Republican con-Washington has called there some of vention, but this attack under suspice the most advanced scientists of the en- of Republican numinee is a graver and tire world, and their mission is almost much more important matter. Goversuperhuman. The white plague has nor Haskell has all bets called, and is respected neither race or zone, but has endeavoring to rush things to investistealthily and steadily increased it's gation, but the makers of the charges taxages until it has threatened the per- are hidden where they can not be disutries. The efforts lodged without resort to facts by docu of the savants to ascertain a remedy other than elimetic is worthy of the greatest approbation, and Ibancial aid should be given those who seek to ac-Illinois, and other places, caused complish so much for humankind.

Among the physicians of the Miss great deal of discussion about negros inalogi valley states, the convention among the alleged wise writers of the should receive their closest scrutiny. because it is the custom of that group, many of whom have never been 5,000 some men write of events they can not feet above sea level, to send their con- understand and of a people they know sumplives 'to the mountains where it nothing about is high and dry." The patient has one advantage over his former suffering: In the hills of Alabama, Mississippi, he seldom knows enough to stop and Tennessee, Georgia, and the plantation gradually ascend the mountains. Those negroes of the two Carolinas and Vir who go straight to Phoetix or Lead-ginia in the same category as the ville die the day of arrival.

This is not a jest; it is the cold hard grogshops, would be so unfair no one truth, and whose wishes to make per- will do so, if he or she intends to be onnal investigation will discover the iruthful. statement conservative in a marked Brooklyn, Illinois, with 900 black degree. But, after all, 'tis through and 140 whites, furnishes no lesson such men as gather at these great equal to Beley, Oklahoma, in Okfuskee prectings and whose names seidom ap- county. pear in print, being easily embarranced | Beley is wholly peopled with blacks and also because their research is con- and they carry on governmental aftopic in which the larty has but the will of all with whom they come in contact. They have splendid churches uninitiest interest.

Still should one of these men ac- and good schools, and those two insticomplish the desired end, 'twould be littions will make any community lawworth more to mankind than the pro- ubiding in the course of time. pervation of a nation, and mark another epoch in the progress of man.

No newspaper can adequately re-worthless politician. This individual late the importance of this meeting; has been telling the negro he has the me ordinary newspaper maker or editor same right to office and social distinct one furnish sufficient data for the tion as every race, but neglects to tell reader to glean what all of us ought to the black man to hold office he must know, but that each newspaper of the first learn the qualifications which go world should speak of and grant the along with being public servants. As wide publicity required can not only to the social part of it, no two races be done, but should be and in no on- over mixed in social affairs save to the printakable manner.

decriment of all concerned. Having heaten down and out the con- largely because there are so many viet leave system in his state. Gover property owners and these send their nor Hoke Smith, of Georgia, is to children to school and give them the

the United States. tion of their race! Mr. Hearst went back to New York . The negroes are not going to be led and Hughes to get another batch of his employees to the trough and voted, then kicked papers, and continue the effort to drive late the saloons, where they may be the column of trusts away from the Re-porters for what they can get in the publican puttern and the candidates way of grinks.

named at the Chicago convention. Mr Bryan has achieved greater fame coaches, stations and schools, and such an ap prator on his last speaking trip is true. But this same party sees the than ever before in his career. His necroes have good schools, approprispeece in New York City, according to later money to maintain the negro instithe World, for from his friend, was tuttens; proving by sets it favors that the greatest craincial achievement really beneficial to the negro. There known to American politics, and his are many, no doubt, who will still machines apparence has improved if shout for McGuire, and in the event of there has been any change in the must his reflection again be refused so he must be.

MUCH IN LITTLE. 0000000000000000000

Some folks brag of their virtues un

Count Toistol, will mover be used of winning the popularity of ng beautifular Poraker Transle to make nawn that Verys will not like.

Bonaparte will be a lew-lown son Metrice if he puts Congressman Mc

Next year's bathing suits will not be nore abbrevialed than this or the enire outfit will have to be referred to 'figuratively speasing."

Lots of people are advising the govgrament with neither appointment or discults to look forward to.

The woodpecker trust declares it and \$5 to 50 cents each. will defy the telephone pole concern and is keeping up the gait of former

Anyhow they have not threatened to remove Mack, while each Republican editor has told, in advance of course, why Hitchcock has to Jigger

NOMINEES FOR REPRESENTATIVE

Democratic nominees for represen-This does not include the ten into law. flatorial candidates: Faulkner, Klows County.

J. E. Terrell, Klowa County. Logan Hawkins, Kay county. Q. T. Prown. Kay. Prentiss Price, Osage. W. F. Gilmer, Carter. John R. Whayne, Carter, M. Turner, Murray. F. Hartman, Noble. Charles B. Powell, Major. G. W. Lewis, Beckham. William J. Parsons, Woods. S. G. Ashby, Jackson. C. E. Castle, Wagoner. Teague Ray, Logan, H. E. Derwin, Logan. Walter H. Mathews, Logan. J. W. Durst, Harper. Frank L. Casteel, Cimarron.

H. R. King, Tillman. Charles Burks, Oklahoma, second. Ed. L. Dunn, Oklahoma, first. Potnam, Oklahoma, first. A. Merkwell, Oklahoma, at large Earle, Texas. L. W. Hart, Woodward. J. J. Savage, Greer, second district.

John R. McCalla, Love. G. L. Wilson, Greer, first district. Elmer V. Jesse, Ellis. H. O. Tenor, Dowey, Joseph L. Paschal, Roger Mills. Ben T. Williams, Pushmataha. W. G. Blanchard, McClain. C. M. Anderson, McCurtain, Hutchin, Cleveland. Whedon B. Stone, Creek. Frank L. Haymes, Tulsa.

Milton B. Cope, Canadian. J. S. Bell, Caddo. Joe Suith, Caddo, Frank Huddleston, Pontotoc. Henry Ireton, Grady, R. L. Giover, Grady. E. L. Hotchkiss, Blaine. Lyman W. White, Choctaw. Alex C. Savage, Jefferson. Bert Tillotson, Nowata. Bob Wallace, Garvin. P. Smith. Okfuskee, Ed Boyle, Haskell, Lee B. Smith, Delaware. A. I. Homes, Ottawa.

R. H. Crouch, Cherokes. T. L. Rider, Adair. Lon Lovelace, Latimer. S. C. Burnette, Washita. John W. McDuffee, Marshall, Jesse B. Chastain, Seminole. Leslie 1. Ross, Comanche. H. M. Jarrett, Lincoln, second dist. H. M. Williams, Lincoln, first dist. J. M. Estliff, Johnston George E. John. Coal. N. J. Johnston, Hughes. D. M. McElhaney, Pittsburg, William S. Rogers, Pittsburg. W. B. Anthony, Stephens.

William F. Semple, Bryan. Charles P. Smith, Atoka. G. W. Allen, Sequoyah. C. C. Mathles, LeFlore. James L. Mathews, Payne. A. H Ellis, Garfield, second district William Murdoch, Pawnee. W. Sein, Klagfisher,

Dan Hunt, Garfield, first district. S. Wortman, Rogers, N. Ratellff, Craig, W. Smith, Grant, A. J. Butts, Affairs, W. F. Durham, Pottawatomie, J. Butts, Alfalfa. S. Carson, Pottawatomic Many of the woes the black man has Milton Bryan, Fottawatomie.

faced comes through the cheap and Democratic Flotorial Candidates. Ben F. Wilson, Cereal, R. No. 2, Caddo, Canadian and Cleveland. ance Woodson E. Norvelle, Tulsa, Creek idea."

Peter J. Cayne, Vinita, Craig and and Tulsa. Thank God the negroes of Oklahoma,

John M. Moore, Olney, Johnston and orner Smith is one of the most con- in swarms away from the designing Huskell. Huskell

Pawnee.
Ben F. Harrison, Calvin, Pittsburg before the election. J. H. Maxey, Jr., Shawnee, Pottswatomic and Lincoln.

E. D. Ratifff, Ada, Postotoc and Sem: the nickname of "injunction Hill," and

The Democracy of the state told the nate a flotorial candidate, black man there must be separate Wilson O. Bruton, Muldrow, Sequoyou and Le Flore.

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Democratic Press Bureau.

WHAT THE LEIGSLATURE DID Nowhere could be found a briefer and more truthful review of the important work of Oklahoma's first democratic state partition adopted at Tulsa. The laws exactally commended are enumerated as follows:

First: The creation of a hanking board and the depositors' guaranty | fund, making a hank deposit in the state of Oklahoma as good as cash in hand, and thereby bringing into this state from other states. Reposits

Second: Making provision for the loan of school moneys of the state upon high class securities, and giving preference for the same to the farm ers of our state.

Third: The enactment of a state printing board and state printing system by which the price of statutes of the state are reduced from \$21 to \$2.60, and the session taws from \$3

Fourth: The enactment of a separate coach law for the white and colore: races.

Fifth: The enactment of a primary election law, by which the people choose their own candidates and through which candidates for the United States senate must pass the expression of the will of the people. Sixth: The initiative and referen dum act is the most complete and finished product of the kind ever writ

Seventh: The anti-lobbying law which prevents and punishes corruption before legislatures, boards of county commissioners, city councils

and school boards. Eighth: To make ample provision for the punishment of public officers for acepting passes and other fav ors from railroads, telegraph, express and other companies in this state. Ninth: The graduated land tax pre

vents land monopoly in the state. Tenth: The graduated inheritance tax, placing proper burdens upon large estates.

Eleventh: The enactment of the gross receipts tax upon oil, gas, express, relegraph, telephone and other companies owning intangible property and incomes, requiring them to pay their fast proportion of revenue. Twelfth: For the enactment of the

eight-hour a day provision for labor in the public service. Thirteenth: For having provided for a full state government, the purchase of state supplies at one-half the cost of the state of Kansas for in

ferior service Fourteenth; For having enacted a complete system of agricultural and mechanical education for the children of the state. The same being the most thorough and complete of any state in the union.

We commend the legislature of Oklahoma for passing the separate He has finally risen to the heights of school law which provides for separate schools for the white and negro races. We further endorse the provision nermitting negroes to select their own school trustees, from their looks to Bryan. own race, for their own separate schools; at the same time the con- But now today hope, angel eyed, verse to be natural that the white race, which under our law includes the Indian race, are permitted to select their own trustee for their schools.

Who is best fitted to put into effect the reforms which the people of the United States are demanding in goverumental affairs? The man who has advocated these reforms for the past not be cared by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Y. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. any individual to bring the people to J. Chency for the last 15 years, and see the necessity of such reforms, or believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and inancially ter he was nominated for president that there were any reforms needed? Bryan has been advocating the income tax for fifteen years. He has favored the direct election of United and mucous surfaces of the has preached publicity of campaign per bottle. Sold by all Druggiats, contributions in every state in the union for eight years. He has opposed Government by injunction and the unjust interference of the federal courts in labor disputes for twelve years.

n labor disputes for twelve years.

Taft was nominated by a convention which refused by a vote of ten to 00000000000000000 one to adopt a plank favoring the di-Riley R. Cloud, Cherokee, Alfalfa rect election of United States senstors, and Mr. Taft himself has not yet W. A. Durant, Durant, Bryan and fully made up his mind on this ques. You have always been mine, dear, tion, but gays in his letter of acceptance that he is "inclined to favor the

The republican platform rejected z campaign contribution publicity plank by a vote of ten to one, but Mr. Taft I have watched the clouds in their Amil H. Japp, Lawton, Comunche says he thinks it might be all right to tell where thay got the moneyafter the election. Mr. Bryan has directed his campaign manager to publish a full and complete that of all Geo. D. Hudson, Cushing, Payne and contributions and expenditures of the national committee at least ten days Een the waves forked crests with

Taft, while on the federal hench, this opinion in generally conceded to Garfield and Kingfisher did not nom- be the father of government by injunction in the United Status. He re-L. L. Reeves, Dill, Washita and Custiferated the idea expressed in that opinion, on August 24, 1807, when he "but it is said that it denies to the by C. K Renfro. workingman, the man who is enjoined,

BETRAYING OKLAHOMA In their mad seal to defend the national republican platform and the republican candidate for president, the partisian republican newspapers of Oklahoma are traducing and villifying tip laws and government of Choice and state. An instance in point is an article in che Oklahatna State Capital Topposeng the bank deposit plank of the the course of which the following language is quoted from the Aurora,

Illinois, Begon :-No use to start soup houses when the state from other states, deposits equal to ten per centum of all the Bryan which to her? She gave him wictims would have no nickel to get state. from a small newspaper job into a position of affluence. She provided him the opportunity to let loose his floods of oratory upon the eighty million people of the United States Instead of a few hundred delegates at a national party convention, To-day she looks to nim as the soul of her body, the fount of all her blessings, the man who provided the wind for her sails up the stream of paternal government."

"Mr. Bryan's bank guaranty ideas are suitable to business conditions in Oklahoma whose population is largely half-breed lections and negrues.

What do the people of Oklahoma think of a political party whose newspapers and speakers have to resort to such villanious mis-representations of the entire population of a state in order to bolster up their waning cause? - How luffnitey more execuble the newspaper of Oklahoma that would re-produce this vicious calumny.

Ninety-easin out of every hundred voters in Oklahoma believe in the bank deposit guaranty law. Its practical operation in Oklahoma for more than six months has denmatrated its feasibility, and yet the Republican newspapers and Republican campaign managers are now attacking the law, declaring that it doesn't really afford protection to the depositors. The solution to this is easy. Joe Norris wants money for the National Republican committee to re-elect Bird McGuire to congress in the First District. The national Republican committee want some ingenously contrived lies discrediting the bank deposit guaranty inca. There's the solution in a nutshell.

POOR MEN LOOK TO BRYAN. John W. Hall, writing to the New York World, has the following to say

as to his political views: "Four years ago I voted for Roose velt, but today Bryan is the man who stands for the rights of all the people the true and new Democracy and the champion of the old. The poor man has not had a friend in the white house since Lincoln died; today he

"Tis many a day since Lincoln died Bits down beside the poor man's

door: Today oprings promise in the west, Springs like a flower from prairie

'mblem of truth on his broad breast, On the bread brow the sign of God."

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dritting. -They plware went two by two. And I've teen he w the maintains were

lifting

Two summits towards heaven's own made other

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